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| | BY MEANS OF SAID PROCESS | : |

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

It is requested that the enclosed reference(s) listed on the attached Information Disclosure Citation Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Patent Examiner in connection with the above-identified application and be made of record therein.

The enclosed references were cited in an International Search Report (copy enclosed) dated February 16, 2000 from the European Patent Office concerning counterpart International Application No. PCT/IT99/00333.

Independent consideration and acknowledgment of the enclosed reference(s) are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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